

# GEP- Newsmail

## November 24th 2011

Dear all,

This is an update of the activities and progress of the Growth & Employment Platform (GEP) since the previous newsletter sent September 5th 2011.

### **GEP Working Groups established**

Member of GEP Platform Working Groups (PWG) has been selected and can be found at our homepage under [Partners](#). Their first task was to give input to the inception report. The PWG's are expected to meet face to face early 2012 at each Partner University to facilitate implementation of activities.

### **Danish Steering Committee Meeting**

The Danish Steering Committee for GEP held a meeting on October 31st 2011, mainly to discuss the draft inception reports and modalities for project implementation.

### **Inception report submitted on time**

On November 15th 2011 the inception report for first Phase of BSU was submitted. It now awaits approval by the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Danida). A copy of the inception report without annexes is attached to this mail for your reference. The full version is available at our visit our homepage under [Documents](#).

### **Time to get involved in implementation activities – Matchmaking Seminar for GEP 14<sup>th</sup> December 2011**

The Growth and Employment Platform is about to start the actual implementation of activities. GEP will apply an open and transparent process in distributing activities/tasks among staff of the Danish universities, based on people's interest, competences and experience. This is really your opportunity to get involved!

Therefore attached to this newsletter you will find an invitation to an open "Matchmaking" Seminar with a set of guidelines and overview of activities within GEP. Again this can also be found in the homepage under '[Upcoming Activities](#)'. The GEP "Matchmaking" Seminar will be held at December 14th 2011 from 10.30 – 13.00 at KU-LIFE. All staff at Danish universities is courtly invited.

If you can't join the Matchmaking Seminar you can of course still join, all you need to do is to read the guidelines and send in an Expression of Interest (EoI) before New Year.

Kind regards

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